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ORGANIZES MILITARY POLICE

The Hungarian Minister of Defense has ordered the creation of a Military Police. Two courses have already been initiated in Budapest with the participation of reliable young soldiers of peasant and worker background. Students who were selected by the armed forces will receive theoretical and practical instruction.

The Military Police will take the place of the former Military Gendarmerie to direct traffic during troop movements, and will also have the task of supporting the activities of the political officers.

The organization of the military police indicates the desire of the military authorities to make themselves independent of the State Police and the State Security Authority. The new military police will maintain close liaison with the notorious military-political department of the Ministry of Defense, and, in case of war, one of its principal tasks will be to control the political activities of the citizens.

Students of the military-police school will undergo a strict ideological indoctrination course.

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